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OF SYNDECAN-4 CORE PROTEINS"  
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THIRD STATEMENT AND VERIFICATION OF SUBSTANTIVE IDENTITY  
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Dear Sir:

In support of the Request For Continuing Examination  
and the substantive Response to the most recently received (final) Official

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Action mailed April 11<sup>th</sup>, 2003, applicants now formally reply to the Notice To Comply With Requirements For Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence And/Or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures.

Applicants' undersigned attorney states and verifies the following: The content of the third paper form copy and the third computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listing" enclosed herewith are the same; the content of the third paper form copy and the third computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listings" enclosed herewith do not contain any New Matter; and the content of the third paper form copy and the third computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listing" enclosed herewith is fully supported by the descriptive and enabled disclosure of the Specification text originally filed September 2, 1998 as USSN 09/145,916.

This third statement and verification of the contents and sameness of the "Sequence Listing" in third paper form copy and third computer readable form (CRF) copy is made pursuant to and in compliance with the requirements as set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.821-1.825 respectively. Applicants' undersigned attorney respectfully submits that this third statement and verification is also a legally complete and sufficient Response to the instant Notice to comply with requirements for sequence disclosures as such.

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